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Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven sections, and being at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore, and B. and C. are marked D. Shipping or midway between each shore are marked E., in conjunction with the figures denoting the section.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
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5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

Vessel's Name.	Flag.	Captain.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Airline	Brit.	Ellis	2238	Feb. 4	Russell & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Ajex	Brit.	Riley	1500	Feb. 4	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	10th inst.
Amphitrite	Brit.	Lemisch	1239	Jan. 24	Hungarian Lloyd S. N. Co.	Trieste, &c.	Ab'deen Dock
Ashburne	Brit.	Walker	1613	Jan. 24	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	To-morrow
Batavia	Brit.	Watton	2000	Feb. 4	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Saigon	Coast Dock
Canton	Brit.	Bromner	1111	Feb. 4	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	11th inst.
Changsha	Brit.	Williams	1864	Jan. 28	Butterfield & Swire	Y'ham & San Francisco	11th inst.
Chingta	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Manila	K'loon Dock
City of Sydney	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Danube	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Devonhurst	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Diamond	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Duburg	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Fooksang	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Haitan	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Ilissos	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Independence	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Kwang Lee	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Norden	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Pemptos	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Pilot Fish	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
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Tatarow	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Thyra	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Wingwang	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Wyvora	Brit.	Edgar	1463	Jan. 28	P. M. S. S. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow

Sailing Vessels									
Ellie Rowe	6	Phillips	Haw.	bg.	June	9	Wielor & Co.		
Anna Withhorst	6	Breckwoldt	Ger.	Sm. sc.	385	Jan.	27	Order	
B. P. Cheney	6	Hughes	Amer.	sh.	1239	Jan.	26	Douglas, Lapraik & P. Co.	
Bun Pan	3	Koch	Siam.	bgs.	574	Jan.	16	Chinese	
Centennial	0	Beas	Amer.	sh.	1232	Jan.	27	Russell & Co.	
Coloma	3	Noyes	Amer.	bgs.	852	Dec.	27	Melchers & Co.	
Dorsetta	3	Jorgenson	Siam.	bg.	300	Sept.	14	Chinese	
Dorothea	0	Miller	Ger.	bgs.	630	Jan.	23	Siemens & Co.	
E. J. Spier	6	Sumner	Brit.	bgs.	773	Jan.	23	Wielor & Co.	
Figaro	3	Gill	Brit.	bgs.	519	Jan.	15	Gonsalves & Co.	
F. P. Leitchfield	6	Heinzel	Amer.	bgs.	1067	Jan.	9	Melchers & Co.	
Hectanooga	6	Young	Ger.	bgs.	1042	Feb.	5	Chinese	
John D. Brewer	6	Cann	Brit.	sh.	1066	Feb.	5	Messageries Maritimes	
Kitty	0	Joselyn	Amer.	bgs.	1020	Jan.	11	Order	
Mabel Taylor	0	Laird	Brit.	bgs.	803	Aug.	23	Order	
Mann	6	Barclay	Brit.	sh.	925	Jan.	23	Order	
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Penobscot	6	Campbell	Brit.	bgs.	379	Oct.	31	Order	
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Santa Filomena	3	Payne	Brit.	bgs.	1182	Jan.	3	Order	
Santa Filomena	3	Mendiguren	Span.	sc.	448	Jan.	13	Chinese	
Santa Filomena	3	Tiemann	Ger.	bgs.	10	7	Jan.	29	Order
Santa Filomena	4	Lange	Siam.	sch.	354	Jan.	29	Chinese	
Santa Filomena	4	McGregor	Brit.	bgs.	993	Jan.	28	Order	
Santa Filomena	6	McArthur	Brit.	bgs.	494	Jan.	11	Sibb, Livingston & Co.	
Santa Filomena	6	Meyer	Ger.	sh.	1775	Dec.	31	Melchers & Co.	
Santa Filomena	0	Allen	Amer.	sh.	1270	Jan.	28	Russell & Co.	
Santa Filomena	3	Lawrence	Brit.	bgs.	394	Dec.	17	Chinese	